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Re: 02-278

Greetings,

I am requesting that the FCC DOES NOT pass any legislation that would lessen Indiana's Privacy protection Laws. Since these laws have been in place, my family and I have been able to enjoy our evening meals WITHOUT being bombarded by telemarketing calls. Prior to the laws being passed, I would estimate that I would receive at least one call every evening. This resulted in the purchase of services from the telephone company (privacy manager and caller ID) to reduce the number of calls coming in. After the law was passed, I was able to discontinue these services, thus saving about \$16.00 per month.

If I really need something, I will call a vendor or service provider. I DO NOT want them to call me.

Sincerely,

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